



Life 2006 Guide for Transportation Options in Lancaster County



1. Transport Plus, (402) 730-7303

Service: Door-to-door transportation. Escort service and errands on demand at extra cost.
Fare: One Way \$17.50
 Round Trip \$35.00
 Wheelchair Van-RT \$40.00
Hours: Available 24 hours
Eligibility: Must be at least 60 years old or disabled, visually impaired, or child under 16 years old.

2. Reduced Bus Fare (StarTran) (402) 476-1234

Service: Fixed bus routes
Fare: .60 cents
Hours: 6am-6pm
Eligibility: Reduced bus fare for older adults and disabled persons with proper identification: Medicare card, State ID, Drivers License, Senior Saver or Go For Less photo ID card.
Other Info: **Ride for FIVE** allows low income persons to purchase a StarTran monthly bus pass for only \$5 or \$10 for the Handi-Van. Proof of income and date of birth are required each month. Passes can be purchased at different sites around town.

3. Handi-Van Service, (402) 441-7871

Service: Door-to-door transportation, within Lincoln city limits. (Wheelchair accessible)
Fare: Day rate is \$2.50 each way Evening rate is \$8 each way, cash only
Hours: (Day) Monday-Saturday 6 am-7 pm (Evening) Monday-Friday 7pm -10pm
Eligibility: Inability to ride a city bus due to disability, call for more information.
Other Info: Applications from the League of Human Dignity are available, will also need a signature from your physician or other professional to verify need.

4. Dash About, (800) 720-3274

Service: Transportation to Omaha, or points west.
Fare: \$19.50 each way to Omaha from Lincoln, departs from Cornhusker Hotel or Airport
Hours: 7 days a week
Eligibility: Must call 24 hours in advance. Wheelchair accessible, schedule 7 days in advance.

5. Omalink, (402) 475-5465

Service: Shuttle service to Omaha and return.
Fare: \$39.95 one way, \$64.95 round trips with reservation.
Hours: 7 days a week, 9 times each day between 5am and 9pm.
Eligibility: \$5 discount for persons over 65, or military personnel.

6. Nebraska Urban Indian Medical Center, (402) 434-7177

Service: Transportation for medical appointments.
Fare: \$2.45 each way+.50 a mile \$10 out of town-round trip (NO Charge if unable to pay)
Hours: Monday-Thursday 8am-4pm Friday 8am-12pm
Eligibility: Native Americans and clinic patients only.
Other Info: Call driver to set up appointments: 440-7040 Onie Alva. Arrangements and cancellations for riders must be made 24 hours in advance.

- 7. Madonna Rehabilitation Hospital Community Medical Transportation, (402) 483-9456**
Service: Door-to-door transportation for medical and hospital trips only.
Fare: Round trip from home to hospital - Lincoln \$26
 For hospital discharge - Lincoln \$50
 Special \$14 round trip fare for persons going to regularly scheduled appointments lasting 6 weeks or more. Must be to and from home, not assisted living or nursing facility.
Hours: **Monday-Saturday** 7am-10pm
Eligibility: Anyone who needs a Dr. Appointment (Wheelchair accessible)
- 8. VA Medical Center, (402) 486-7842 (Sponsored by Lincoln Disabled American Veterans)**
Service: Transportation to and from scheduled appointments at the Lincoln VA Medical Center.
Fare: No charge.
Hours: Call for information, call at least two days before the scheduled appointment.
Eligibility: Veterans living in Lincoln area with no other means of transportation.
- 9. VA Medical Center (VAMC) Transportation (402) 486-7815**
Service: Four buses daily each way from VAMC Lincoln to VAMC Omaha.
Fare: No Charge.
Hours:

Leave Lincoln	Leave Omaha
7:15am	10:30am
9:15am	10:45am
12:30pm	2:00pm
1:15pm	4:00pm

Eligibility: Veterans with Omaha appointments
- 10. Road to Recovery Transportation, (402) 423-4888**
Service: American Cancer Society sponsors transportation to and from medical appointments related to cancer treatment.
Fare: No charge.
Hours: **Monday-Friday** 8:30am-5:00pm
Eligibility: **Cancer patients only.** Must live in Lincoln. Call two days in advance of scheduled appointment. Must be ambulatory, can not transport wheelchairs.
- 11. Lancaster County Rural Transit System, (402) 441-7031**
Service: Transportation for individuals in rural Lancaster County. (Wheelchair accessible)
Fare: \$1.50 each way use exact change, check or punch card. ***Transfer cost \$2.00 via Blue Rivers Transit. (Within the Lincoln area)**
Hours: **Monday-Thursday** 8am-4pm Various days serve a different part of Lancaster County. Monday & Wednesday goes to points north: Waverly, Raymond, Malcolm, Ceresco, Davey, Greenwood, Pawnee, etc. Tuesday & Thursday goes to points south: Bennett, Cheney, Denton, Emerald, Hickman, Roca, etc.
Eligibility: Anyone living in rural Lancaster County.
Other Info: Call at least one day in advance to reserve a ride and to get the request form completed over the phone, or ask that the form be mailed to you.
- 12. Yellow-Capitol Servant Cabs, (402) 477-4111 or (402) 477-6074**
Service: Transportation (Wheelchair accessible)
Fare: \$2.90 + \$2.50 per mile, .60 cents per minute to wait.

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